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I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first a (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the ANTIMICROBIAL QUINOLONES, THEIR COMPOSITIONS AND USES								
	the specification of which							
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	one) [x]	was filed on August 15, 2001	as United	States Application No. or				
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	I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claim							
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